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MATTER OF DETLAWS

REFS: (A) 77 BERLIN 3268 (C) STATE 163515

(B) STATE 75862 (D) STATE 95484

1. ON BASIS OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN REFTEL A,
EMBASSY BY NOTE TO FOREIGN OFFICE REQUESTED ANY
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON HANFF THAT MIGHT BE AVAILABLE
BASED ON POSSIBLE LEADS PROVIDED BY INFORMATION FROM
DIENSTSTELLE WEHRMACHT RECORDS INFORMATION PROVIDED
BY ITS DIRECTOR, HERMANN. FOREIGN OFFICE HAS INFORMED
EMBASSY THAT A RECHECK OF RECORDS AT THE ZENTRALE

STELLE DER LANDESJUSTIZVERWALTUNGEN IN LUDWIGSBURG
TURNED UP NO NEW INFORMATION. BASED ON REFTEL B
EMBASSY BY NOTE OF MARCH 29 REQUESTED COPIES OF
ANY DOCUMENTS AT THE BUNDESARCHIV-ZENTRAL-
NACHWEISSTELLE PERTAINING TO HANFF AND DETLAWS.

2. BY NOTE OF JUNE 21 IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY'S NOTE OF
MARCH 29 THE FRG FOREIGN OFFICE TRANSMITTED TWO
CERTIFICATES OF THE DEUTSCHE DIENSTSTELLE (WAST) IN
BERLIN WITH INFORMATION ABOUT THE MILITARY ASSIGNMENTS
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OF BOTH HANFF AND DETLAWS. COPIES OF THESE
CERTIFICATES WILL BE TRANSMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT BY
AIRGRAM ASAP. THE FOREIGN OFFICE NOTE STATED THAT
THE BUNDESARCHIV-ZENTRALNACHWEISSTELLE IN KORNELI-
MUNSTER WAS ABLE TO FIND NO RECORDS CONCERNING THESE
TWO PERSONS.

3. BY EMBASSY NOTE OF APRIL 21, EMBASSY MADE INQUIRIES
PURSUANT TO REQUESTS CONTAINED IN REFTTEL D. THAT NOTE
HAS BEEN ACKNOWLEDGED BUT NO SUBSTANTIVE REPLY HAS YET

BEEN RECEIVED. STOESSEL

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